SERVICE
OF THE
LIVING TRADITION

The Unitarian Universalist
Association of Congregations

Friday, June Twenty-Seventh, Two Thousand Fourteen
PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND
Order of Service

**Ingathering Music**

Anne Watson Born, Director
Erika Nielson, Soloist

“Unidos en el misterio de la hora”
“How Can I Keep from Singing”
“Glory Glory Hallelujah!”
“For All the Saints”
“Come and Go with Me”

**Welcome**

The Rev. Sarah Lammert

**Calling Forth in Celebration**

Ministers Receiving Preliminary Fellowship
The Rev. Dr. Wayne B. Arnason

Credentialed Religious Educators
Tandy Wilkins Scheffler

Credentialed Music Leaders
Mary C. Neumann

Ministers Receiving Final Fellowship
The Rev. Dr. Wayne B. Arnason

Ministers Completing Full-Time Service
The Rev. Dr. Richard S. Gilbert

**Invocation**

Robert Alexander Jensen

**Opening Hymn**

Choir and Congregation

“Rank by Rank Again We Stand”

**Chalice Lighting**

The Rev. Chris Antal with
Makoto, Sulhee, and Yuna Antal

**Introit**

Choir

“The Size of Your Heart”

**Remembering Those Who Have Died**

The Rev. Peter Morales

Introduction
Roll Call
Lighting the Memorial Candle
Prayer
Silence
Musical Response

Choir

“To My Old Brown Earth”
Reading
“There Must be Religious Witness”
The Rev. Carolyn Patierno

Hymn
“Fire of Commitment”
Choir and Congregation

Sermon
“Walking with the Other”
The Rev. Rebekah Ann Montgomery

Choral Affirmation
“Love is My Religion”
Choir
Erika Nielson, Soloist

Offering for the Living Tradition Fund
“The Rev. Cynthia G. Kane and The Rev. David G. Pyle
“In Times Like These”
Choir
Carolyn Mapes, Soloist
“Amazing Grace”
Instrumental

Closing Hymn
“Life Calls Us On”
Choir and Congregation

Benediction
“The Rev. Carlton Elliott Smith

Recessional
“Now Let Us Sing”
Choir and Congregation
Ministers Receiving Preliminary Fellowship

Summer Albayati-Krikeche  Christiane Heyde  Gregory S. Pelley
Charlotte Arsenault  Rebecca Hinds  Karen Margaret Quinlan
Lara K-J Campbell  Joan Marie Javier-Duval  Donna Renfro
Madelyn E. Campbell  Sarah Elizabeth Lenzi  Sarah C. Richards
Joe Cherry  Emily Ann Hartnett Liefert  Amy Rowland
Mary Frances Comer  Marcus Hartnett Liefert  Lee Marie Sanchez
Heather Concannon  Jim Magaw  Tandy Wilkins Scheffler
Jason Cook  Stephanie L. May  Christian Schmidt
Patrice K. Curtis  Aidan Jacob McCormack  Catie Scudera
Beth Dana  Andrew MacDonald Moeller  Christina Shu
Jennifer S. Dant  Karen Mooney  Kelly L. Spahr
Jorge Espinel  Tisha L. Moore  Eve Morgan Stevens
James Field  Sarah (Keleher) Napoline  Kevin Tarsa
Anthony Grant Fisher  Jennifer Nordstrom  Duncan E. Teague
Seth Fisher  Samay Oakley  Abbey S. Tennis
Jim Foti  Sarah Oglesby-Dunegan  Gretchen E. Weis
Jennifer Gray  Gaye Williams Ortiz  Margaret L. Weis
Henry Daniel Gregoire  Allison Palm  Amy Williams Clark
David L. Helfer  Patricia K. Palmer

Credentialed Religious Educator – Master Level

Sara Lewis

Credentialed Religious Educator

Patricia Hall Infante  Robin M. Pugh  Linda Weaver
Kimberly Paquette

Credentialed Religious Educator – Master Level
Completing Full-Time Service

Jan Devor  Julie Porter

Credentialed Music Leader

Carmen Buford-Paige  Bertram Gulhaugen  Elizabeth Henderson
Mavis G. Cauffman  Wally Kleucker  Norton
Amber Fetner  Ellie Rolnick

Ministers Receiving Final Fellowship

Margaret Haynes Allen  Lora Brandis  Jeanelyse Doran Adams
Wendy Bartel  Erik David Carlson  Jacqueline Kay Duhart
Kathleen Baughman  Peggy Clarke  Todd Eklof
Leslie Becknell Marx  Jill Arthedt Cowie  Kathryn Ellis
Ministers Completing Full-Time Service

Jim Anderson
Helen C. (Holly) Baylies
Randolph William
Bishop Becker
Emmy Lou Belcher
Michelle W. Bentley
Daniel S. Brosier
Terry Burke
Nancee Campbell
Bruce Davis
Danielle Assunta Di Bona
Claudia Elferdink
Julia (Older) Fankuchen
Wendy Fitting
Sandra D. Fitz-Henry
Cynthia A. Frado
Neil W. Gerdes
Brendan Hadash
Frank Hall

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Barbara Ann Hamilton-Holway
Bill Hamilton-Holway
Linda Hansen
Barbro M. Hansson
Marni P. Harmony
Mary Chulak Higgins
Robert L. Hill
Anne Felton Hines
Annie Holmes
Olivia Holmes
Christine Jaronski
Janet B. Johnson
Drew Kennedy
Doug Kraft
Ginger Luke
Carol D. Meyer
Martha Niebanck
Olav F. Nieuwejaar

Phyllis B. O’Connell
Edward Piper
Susan Veronica Rak
Carol Sampson Rudisill
Marc A. Salkin
Thomas Schade
Marcia Schekel
Stephen M. Shick
Paul Sprecher
Arvid Straube
Arlene Conan Sutherland
Matt Tittle
John Paul Ware
Susan K. Weickum
Barry Thomas Whittemore
Valerie T. Wills
Carol Marie Wolff
Carole Robinson Yorke
Sara Emma Zimmerman

In Memoriam

Elinor Artman
Richard E. Benner
Suzanne T. Black
Ira Gregg Carter
Albert F. Ciarcia
Phillip R. Giles

Frederick E. Gillis
William H. Houff
Gordon B. McKeeman
Margo R. McKenna
Edgar C. Peara
Charles O. Richardson, Jr.

Andrew G. Rosenberger
John David Scheyer
Herbert F. Vetter, Jr.
Arthur D. Wilmot
Georgette I. Wonders
Notes on the Service

The annual Service of the Living Tradition recognizes ministers who have been granted preliminary fellowship, achieved final fellowship or completed full-time service; religious educators who have achieved or are retiring from credentialed religious educator, master or credentialed level status; and credentialed music leaders. We also remember and honor those professional religious leaders who have died between May 15, 2013, and May 15, 2014.

The offering received today supports the Living Tradition Fund, which provides scholarships, debt reduction grants, and financial assistance in times of need to seminarians, ministers, religious professionals, other congregational staff, and retired ministers and their loved ones.

The preacher for our service is the Reverend Rebekah A. Montgomery, Chaplain (MAJ), United States Army Reserve. Rev. Montgomery has a Bachelor of Arts in Religious Studies from Macalester College in St. Paul, MN, a Masters of Divinity from Union Theological Seminary in New York, NY, and a Masters of Science in Mental Health Counseling from Nova SE University in Ft. Lauderdale, FL. Rev. Montgomery was deployed to Kabul, Afghanistan, in July of 2005 for an 18-month tour of duty. In 2009, she received an award from the Military Chaplains Association for exemplary service and was named the “Military Chaplain of the Year.” Rev. Montgomery contributed to the UU anthology for military personnel, Bless All Who Serve. She serves as Affiliate Minister at River Road UU Congregation in Bethesda, MD, as well as AWAKE Ministries at UU Church of Annapolis, MD. She and her two children live in Bethesda, MD.

The service is prepared under the auspices of the Unitarian Universalist Association Ministries and Faith Development Staff Group.

Officiants for the service include:

- The Reverend Sarah Lammert, Director of Ministries and Faith Development, Unitarian Universalist Association
- The Reverend Doctor Wayne B. Arnason, Chair, Ministerial Fellowship Committee
- Tandy Wilkins Scheffler, Chair, Religious Education Credentialing Committee and Credentialed Religious Educator - Masters Level
- Mary C. Neumann, Chair, Music Leadership Credentialing Committee and Credentialed Music Leader
- The Reverend Doctor Richard S. Gilbert, President, Unitarian Universalist Retired Ministers and Partners Association
Robert Alexander Jensen, Fremont, CA (Mission Peak UU Congregation), an Eagle Scout and youth activist who aspires to be involved in Unitarian Universalist ministry.

The Reverend Chris J. Antal, Chaplain (CPT), United States Army Reserve, Staff Chaplain at Soldier's Heart, and Consulting Minister, Unitarian Universalist Congregation at Rock Tavern, NY

The Reverend Peter Morales, President, Unitarian Universalist Association

The Reverend Carolyn Patierno, Senior Minister, All Souls, New London, CT

The Reverend Cynthia G. Kane, Lieutenant Commander, Chaplain Corps, United States Navy, Kaneohe Bay, HI

The Reverend David G. Pyle, Chaplain (CPT), United States Army Reserve and Assistant Minister, Unitarian Universalist Church of Ventura, CA

The Reverend Carlton Elliott Smith, Holly Springs, MI, serves the Unitarian Universalist Association as one of seven Congregational Life Staff in the Southern Region.

Representing the families of professional religious leaders who have died during the past year is Randy McKeeman, surviving son of the Reverend Doctor Gordon Butler “Bucky” McKeeman.

Our Chalice Lighters are Makoto, Sulhee, and Yuna Antal.

Welcoming the Honorees onto the platform:

- The Reverend Doctor Linda Olson Peebles, President, Unitarian Universalist Ministers Association
- Timothy L. Anderson, President, Unitarian Universalist Musicians Network
- Cathy Seggel, President, Liberal Religious Educators Association and Credentialed Religious Educator, Master Level

Music for the Service:

Our Music Director is Anne Watson Born, Director of Music Ministry at the First Unitarian Society in Newton, MA, and Credentialed Music Leader

The Singers of the Living Tradition Choir is composed of Unitarian Universalist professional religious leaders and members of the Unitarian Universalist Musicians Network.
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